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In response to the Office Communication mailed on October 8, 2004, in connection with the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments, and consider the following arguments. This response is timely filed within the shortened statutory period set for the response.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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